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ANNUAL REPORTS  
OF THE  
SELECTMEN, TREASURER,  
AND  
TOWN CLERK  
OF THE  
TOWN OF BEDFORD,  
TOGETHER WITH THE REPORT OF THE  
SCHOOL BOARD  
FOR THE  
YEAR ENDING MARCH 1. 1893.

MANCHESTER, N. H.  
THOMAS H. TUSON, PRINTER.  
1893.

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Requiring any	Household medicines, or
Anything pertaining to	Apothecary supplies, will
Never find a more	Reliable place than the well
Known store in West	Manchester kept by Frank
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## SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

### INCIDENTAL EXPENSES.

Charles B. Beal, services as selectman.....	\$90 00
Horace Holbrook, " ".....	59 00
Ira Barr, " ".....	54 00
Silas A. Riddle, services as town clerk.....	50 00
services as janitor town hall.....	30 00
George F. Barnard, services as treasurer.....	40 00
Perham Parker, services as constable .....	5 00
William F. Conner, services as moderator.....	2 00
Thomas J. Wiggin, services as supervisor and blanks,	8 80
services as supervisor fall election..	8 00
Wm. F. Conner, services as moderator fall election...	4 00
D. W. Atwood, services as supervisor March meeting,	4 00
Thomas H. Tuson, printing town reports.....	32 75
Silas A. Riddle, returning vital statistics .....	7 35
Henry L. Peaslee, paint and painting road machine...	4 00
E. B. Hull, tax book and stationery.....	3 29
John B. Varick Co., iron and bolts.....	2 8
S. C. Forsaith Co., lumber for railings.....	6 9
S. T. Burnham, making examination of horse of Ly-	
man Kinson.....	2 00
Joseph Brunette, cleaning town house.....	5 00
J. Hadlock, edge for road machine and bolts .....	9 00
Emil Poel lman, damage to horse in 1891 .....	50 00
Edmund B. Lull, having dog licenses printed.....	1 25
Thomas J. Wiggin, painting school house.....	22 20
William F. Conner, flags for soldiers' graves .....	2 40
Joseph S. Parkhurst, for iron work.....	3 00
George O. Spencer, cleaning vaults.....	2 00
J. Hadlock, edge and bolts for road machine .....	9 00
D. F. Cressey, repairs on road machine .....	2 10
Fred A. French, oil, chimneys, etc.....	11 51

Head & Dowst Co., lumber for town hall.....	2 81
Manchester Hardware Co., iron for town hall.....	1 77
Charles P. Farley, making marking shelves .....	8 00
Nelson Foster, paid for use of derrick.....	7 00
L. H. Josselyn & Co., tables for town hall .....	12 00
Joseph Bruvette, cleaning town hall .....	3 50
C. M. Edgerly, insuring town hall .....	100 00
John B. Varick Co., plow points and clever .....	2 85
George F. Barnard, two cords hard wood.....	10 00
Thomas J. Wiggin, paint and painting .....	4 10
blank .....	1 20
Joseph Bruvette, sawing wood .....	2 00
W. B. French, services as auditor .....	2 00
T. H. Tuson, printing posters .....	1 50
William F. Conner, school books and supplies .....	79 46
Perham Parker, services as dog constable.....	10 00
D. W. Atwood, services as supervisor fall election..	4 00
George L. Walch, serpersvisor Mar. and Nov. elections	8 00
E. P. French, member school board .....	32 00
William F. Conner, member school board .....	58 00
Frank H. Rowe, M. D., member school board .....	75 00
George O. Spencer, paid for sawing wood .....	2 00
George O. Spencer, two cords hardwood .....	9 50
Frank H. Rowe, M. D., returning deaths and births...	2 50
Dr. W. W. Pillsbury, returning deaths and births...	2 25
Henry L. Peaslee, sundry bills .....	2 75
Quincy Barnard, collector, 1891.....	89 50
Quincy Barnard, discount on taxes.....	210 77
J. S. Parkhurst, ironwork .....	5 60
George M. Davis, M. D., return of births and deaths	6 00
C. B. Beal, damage to sleigh .....	8 00
Burnham, Brown & Warren, legal advice.....	35 00
John C. French, insuring town library .....	5 00
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\$1,335 47	

#### HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Horace Campbell, repairing and breaking roads in	
1891 and 1892 .....	\$18 50
William B. French, labor on highways, 1891.....	9 20
Edmund B. Hull, " " and gravel 1891 .....	4 17
R. M. Rollins & Son " " 1891 .....	6 75
Addie E. Hull, " " " .....	1 80

L. E. Charles, breaking roads in 1891 and 1892.. ..	4 12
W. Scott Gage, " " " .....	5 85
Fred Engelhardt, " " " .....	1 00
Herman Foster, " " " .....	5 50
N. Bourneval, labor on highways in 1891 .....	10 20
William Schwartz, breaking roads in 1891 and 1892...	1 35
Henry L. Peaslee, repairing bank wall.....	8 00
Irving J. Fosher, labor on highway.....	13 50
D. P. Campbell, " " " .....	9 75
Thomas Adams, " " " .....	9 75
Henry L. Peaslee, " " and money paid for same.....	37.60
William McDole, labor on highway.....	4 50
Arthur W. Holbrook, " " " .....	11 05
John B. Bourneval, " " " .....	42 00
R. M. Rollins & Son, " " " .....	24 00
Alford Jones, " " " .....	4 50
William B. French, " " " .....	10 50
John M. Hodgman, " " " .....	10 25
Thomas J. Wiggin, " " " .....	9 90
Herman Foster " " " .....	16 00
Edmund B. Hull, " " " .....	42 15
D. K. Brown, " " " .....	7 50
Addie E. Barnard, " " " .....	4 50
Fred B. Worthley, breaking roads in 1891 and 1892	16 50
Ira Barr, labor on highway. ....	27 62
George O. Spencer, paid for labor on highway.....	21 38
George A. King, " " " .....	30 00
breaking roads, in 1891 and 1892 .....	10 20
Henry L. Peaslee, labor on highway.....	11 50
Quincy Barnard, sundry highway bills, 1891 .....	21 50
George O. Spencer, labor on highway and money paid	129 04
William F. Conner, " " and posts.....	3 40
William McDole " " " .....	7 50
Willie G. McDole " " " .....	7 50
Harrison Campbell, " " " .....	38 00
Irving J. Fosher, " " " .....	32 00
Henry L. Peaslee, paid for labor on highway ....	8 25
Frank H. Gilbert, labor on highway .....	3 38
Edmund B. Hull, labor on highway and money paid...	11 90
Seth P. Campbell, " " " .....	3 38
John M. Blood, " " " .....	3 25
Horace Campbell, " " " .....	5 10
Henry L. Peaslee, " " and money paid	34 83

Irving J. Fosher, labor on highway.....	15 00
Herbert N. Fosher, " ".....	15 00
Henry H. Smith, " ".....	24 00
E. B. Hull, " " and money paid	155 18
George F. Shepard, " " and money paid for iron and lumber .....	16 50
Alford Jones, labor on highway.....	3 75
George O. Spencer, labor on highway and money paid	60 30
Harrison Campbell, making culvert and repairs on highway .....	10 00
A. C. Wallace, lumber for railings .....	19 50
John E. Stowell, labor on highway .....	8 50
Daniel Murphy, " ".....	9 90
Nelson Fosher, labor on Wallace bridge and culvert by his house.....	139 43
Seth P. Campbell, getting out stone for Wallace bridge	10 00
Joseph Bruvette, labor on highway.....	12 15
John Welch, " ".....	12 75
A. E. Campbell, " ".....	11 25
J. G. Holbrook, drain pipe and laying same .....	6 00
George E. Gault, labor on highway .....	5 25
Loring E. Charles, " ".....	2 02
George O. Spencer, " " and money paid	67 38
Milton N. Flint, posts .....	9 20
Alford Jones, labor on highway.....	10 50
Henry H. Smith, " ".....	12 75
George A. King, " ".....	21 50
Stephen Goff, " " and breaking roads in 1891-2 .....	9 25
D. W. Atwood, breaking roads in 1891-2.....	6 95
N. I. Peaslee, breaking and repairing highways .....	4 72
J. W. Brown, 100 loads clay .....	10 00
Fred Lane, labor on highway .....	75 25
William B. French, " ".....	59 50
Thomas A. Lane, " ".....	18 00
Geo. F. Barnard, " ".....	48 50
Elliot S. Campbell, " ".....	39 00
Daniel S. Campbell, " ".....	9 00
Henry L. Peaslee, " " and money paid	24 75
Conrad Weishaupt, breaking roads in 1891-2.....	2 00
Albert L. Flint, labor on highway.....	27 00
James Fullerton, " ".....	39 05
B. W. Nichols, " ".....	36 65
N. Bourneval, " ".....	22 45



F. R. French, labor on highway .....	66 61
R. M. Rollins & Son, " .....	12 25
F. R. French, 40 perch stone .....	10 00
William F. Conner, labor on highway .....	9 75
J. E. French, " " and gravel. ....	20 20
breaking roads 1891-2 .....	2 75
Wingate M. Darrah, labor on highway ....	15 30
88 loads gravel .....	8 80
Edmund B. Hull, labor on highway and money paid ..	31 02
115 loads gravel .....	11 50
A. E. Barnard, labor on highway .....	5 45
S. P. Dunklee, " " .....	5 25
John F. Gove, putting up railings .....	7 75
Thomas J. Wiggin, labor on highway .....	2 55
William M. Patten, " " .....	15 00
Orrin Webber, " " .....	7 80
breaking roads 1891-2 .....	2 70
Herbert R. Fulton, labor on highway ....	5 72
S. C. Damon, bridge plank and labor on highway ....	21 54
A. C. Wallace, bridge plank .....	1 03
E. B. Hull, money paid for labor on highway .....	7 00
S. P. Dunklee, poles for railings 1891 .....	3 00
Geo. O. Spencer, labor on highway and bridges .....	11 10
Perham Parker, breaking roads .....	48 00
Bradford Beal, labor on highway and wrench broken on road machine .....	2 10
George O. Spencer, sundry highway bills .....	34 55
S. Manning, repairing and breaking roads .....	14 00
H. H. Smith, labor breaking roads .....	9 00
George O. Spencer, sundry bills breaking reads .....	38 65
John Huskie, " " .....	89 95
J. E. French, " " .....	25 00
E. B. Hull, " " .....	72 72
Henry L. Peaslee, " " .....	32 38
C. E. Bursiel, drawing stone and breaking roads .....	4 00
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\$2504 42	

#### AID TO DEPENDENT SOLDIERS.

Jesse Witherspoon, board of John McLaughlin from March 1, 1892, to March 1, 1893, \$2.00 per week...	\$104 00
Haseltine & Co., goods furnished Rufus Mack. ....	5 71
Geo. M. Davis, M. D., medical attendance to R. Mack .....	16 25

Fred A. French, goods furnished Rufus Mack .....	1 38
goods furnished Wilbur Damon .....	8 41
goods furnished Edmund Fosher....	3 00
Frank H. Rowe, M. D., medical attendance to Wilber Damou .....	3 00
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	\$141 75

#### PERSONS AIDED BY COUNTY.

Harriet Wilson, from March 1, 1892, to March 1, 1893, at 75 cents per week .....	\$39 00
Frank H. Rowe, M. D., professional services to fami- ly of Charles Burrows to Aug. 27, 1892 .....	6 25
H. Fradd & Co., goods delivered to Charles Burrows..	5 01
Fred A. French, goods delivered to Charles Burrows..	6 34
Geo. W. Dodge, shoes for family Charles Burrows....	3 25
E. B. Hull, provisions furnished Charles Burrows ....	3 43
Fred A. French, goods delivered Charles Burrows....	2 20
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	\$65 48

#### PERSONS AIDED BY THE TOWN.

Henry L. Peaslee, taking Frank S. White to Wilton...	\$2 50
David P. Campell, funeral expenses ....	34 25
John F. Clough, expense taking Maggie Cotter to the N. H. asylum .....	8 58
Frank H. Rowe, M. D., professional services rendered George Campbell.....	23 00
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	\$68 33

#### ABATEMENTS.

Charles H. Wiggin, over taxed .....	\$9 00
George W. Clark, soldiers' .....	90
George H. Gooch, over taxed .....	3 00
Arthur Calef, use of watering tub .....	3 00
Fred White, poll tax 1891, 1892 .....	1 91
Nancy Russell, over taxed 1891 .....	4 04
Charles Caswell, poll tax 1891 .....	1 01
Thomas O. Barr, poll tax 1890 .....	1 21
David Campbell, poll tax 1892 .....	90
David P. Campbell, poll tax 1892 .....	90
Alfred Fosher, over taxed 1892 .....	90

Thornton Woodbury, poll tax 1892 .....	90
Philip Squares, " " .....	90
John Frederick, " " .....	90
Charles Burrows, " " .....	90
Frank Brooks " " .....	90
Daniel Powers, " " .....	90
Frank Mahen, " " .....	90
Edward Martin, " " .....	90
Thomas B. Spencer, " " .....	90
Charles Landry, " " .....	90
Tillis Mahew, dog tax .....	1 00
Frank Worthen, over taxed .....	1 58
Charles E. Bursiel, over taxed 1890 .....	1 01
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	\$39 36

#### LABOR IN CEMETERIES.

Quincy Barnard, labor in cemeteries .....	\$35 50
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#### LIBRARY EXPENSE.

Josiah H. Whittier, supplies sent to library trustees...	\$8 05
George M. Davis, sundry supplies for library.....	4 80
Temple & Farrington Co., rebinding books for library, etc.....	6 31
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	\$19 16

#### ASSESSMENTS FOR 1892.

State tax .....	\$1625 00
County tax .....	1512 60
Highway tax.....	1200 00
School tax.....	1137 50
Town tax .....	1 00
Town poor .....	50 00
Library.....	75 00
Dog tax.....	110 00
Percentage... ..	102 72
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	\$5813 82

## AMOUNT OF ORDERS DRAWN SINCE MARCH 1, 1892.

Incidental expenses .....	\$1335 47
Highways and bridges. ....	2504 42
Support of town poor.....	68 33
Support of county poor .....	65 48
Aid to dependent soldiers .....	141 75
Abatements .....	39 36
Library.. .....	19 16
Cemeteries .....	35 50

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\$4209 47

Amount of school money for 1892.....\$2219 01

Amount of Chandler legacy in bank ..... 600 00

All which is respectfully submitted,

HENRY L. PEASLEE,  
EDMUND B. HULL,  
GEORGE O. SPENCER,

*Selectmen of Bedford.*

March 1, 1893.

We hereby certify, that we have examined the accounts of the  
Selectmen, and find them correct.

JAMES C. GILMAN.  
FREEMAN R. FRENCH,

*Auditors.*

## TREASURER'S REPORT.

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*Town of Bedford in account with Frank E. Manning,  
Treasurer:*

Dr.

To cash on hand March 1st, 1892...	\$ 796 10
Received of Quincy Barnard, collector, for 1891 .....	682 15
Received of Quincy Barnard, collector, interest for 1891 .....	21 64
Received of Quincy Barnard, collector, tax not in his warrant for 1892 .....	13 50
Received of Quincy Barnard, collector, for 1892 .....	5038 82
Received of Selectmen from the County	373 11
Received of Selectmen for advertising, in town reports.....	15 00
Received of selectmen, for lumber sold...	3 00
Received of Silas Riddle, for dog licenses	138 50
Received of Amoskeag Savings Bank, interest of Chandler fund .....	24 15
Received of Selectmen, railroad tax .....	56 02
Received of selectmen, literary fund .....	243 20
Received of selectmen, savings bank tax	2603 31
Received of Silas A. Riddle, for grave- yard lots .....	56 00
Received of Silas A. Riddle, for use of town-house .....	25 00
Received of Harry A. Shepard, for lot in Joppa cemetery .....	4 25
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	\$ 10094 10

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By Cash paid orders drawn current year	
1892 .....	\$ 4209 47
By cash paid E. F. Jones, county treas.	
county tax .....	1512 60
state tax .....	1625 00
William F. Conner, school money .....	2219 01
Cash on hand, March 1, 1891 .....	528 02
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	\$ 10,094 10

*Standing of the town financially March 1, 1892.*

## ASSETS.

Due from collector .....	\$775 00
Due from county .....	87 76
Cash on hand March 1, 1893, .....	528 02
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	\$1390 78

## LIABILITIES.

Town officers' salaries .....	\$415 00
Highway bills .....	700 00
Dog tax for the year 1892 .....	99 00
Dog licenses .....	138 80
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	\$1352 80

Balance in favor of town March 1, 1893..... \$37 98

All of which is respectfully submitted.

FRANK E. MANNING,

*Town Treasurer.*

We hereby certify that we have examined the above accounts and find them correct.

JAMES C. GILMAN,  
FREEMAN R. FRENCH,

*Auditors.*

# REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1893.

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At the annual meeting of the district, held in March, 1892, Edward P. French was re-elected a member of the school board for three years. They organized with the choice of Frank H. Rowe for president, William F. Conner treasurer, and Edward P. French secretary. The supervision of the different schools was divided as follows: Dr. Rowe to have charge of Nos. 1, 2, 6 and 7; Mr. Conner, Nos. 8, 9 and 10; Mr. French, Nos. 3, 4 and 5; and aside from these special visits, each one has been expected to visit the other schools once during the year.

We have employed fifteen different teachers for the year; of these, six have taught the entire year, Misses Emerson, Way, Walker, Jenness and Parkhurst in the same school; Miss Holbrook has taught for the year, but in different schools. Five of the teachers taught for the first time, the rest had taught before, and some had considerable experience. The teachers, with but few exceptions, have labored hard for the success of the schools, and have given general satisfaction. Mr. Tarbell taught the winter term at No. 8, and gave universal satisfaction. This was his first term as teacher, and he certainly did himself credit. There have not been as many changes of teachers this year as usual.

Taken as a whole, we think the past year has been a prosperous one for the schools, and that good improvement has been made, although the discipline in some has not been what we would like to have it.

There has been but little disturbance in the schools the last year. The committee has been called upon but twice to adjust any difficulty, and these were promptly and satisfactorily settled both to parents and teachers.

There have been thirty weeks of school in all of the districts except No. 1, which had three weeks extra, it being due them from last year. The schools close this year with all the extra time made up. It has been the aim of the school board to elevate the standard of the schools, and in order to do so there are certain essentials, among which are good teachers and unity

of effort. The parents should co-operate with the board and teachers, that they may be able to raise the standard and make the schools more successful.

The school houses Nos. 1 and 6 have been painted outside the last year by your agent, to whom the repair fund of \$52.80 was paid over according to the vote of the district. Other repairs are needed the coming year. Nos. 7 and 8 should be painted outside; and at No. 7 a new shed and outbuildings, or the old ones repaired. The sanitary conditions at this school are bad, and cannot well be improved without new buildings. There are also some repairs needed at Nos. 6 and 9, the plastering having fallen from overhead, and should be repaired before school commences again.

Your committee would recommend that the reading books be changed before the commencement of another school year, as those in use have become so familiar to the scholars that they are losing their interest in reading.

Text books and other supplies have been purchased to the amount of \$79.46. This expense will be more the coming year, should a change be made in reading books. The books in the schools are generally well used.

The attendance has been somewhat better the last year, but not quite what it should be. No. 3, taught by Miss Walker, has the best register, it having the least number of absent and tardy marks for the year. The whole number of scholars registered is 193; of these 97 are boys and 96 are girls, three more than last year.

From the treasurer's report it appears that the whole amount expended for teachers, fuel and other necessary expenditures is \$2263.99, an average of \$11.88 per scholar. The whole amount of school money was \$2219.01; amount received for tuition \$15.00, and the amount remaining from last year was \$86.09, making \$2320.10, in all a balance of \$46.11 remaining in the hands of the treasurer. We would recommend that the town raise \$700.00 or more extra school money.

FRANK H. ROWE,  
WILLIAM F. CONNER,  
EDWARD P. FRENCH,

*School Board of Bedford.*



## ROLL OF HONOR.

## SCHOOL No. 1.

*Spring.* Grace M. Lane, Gertrude M. Lane, Clara E. Campbell, Grace M. Smith, Edith B. Smith, McLean Woodbury, Lena S. Slack.

*Fall.* Clara E. Campbell, Grace M. Lane, Gertrude M. Lane, Grace M. Smith, Edith B. Smith, Oscar D. Smith, Delmore E. Smith.

*Winter.* Clara E. Campbell, Grace M. Lane, Gertrude M. Lane, Grace M. Smith, Edith M. Smith, Oscar D. Smith, Delmore E. Smith, Alice L. Barnard, Ephraim Fosher, Emma L. Turney, Nettie B. Rogers.

## No. 2

*Spring.* Evie A. Stevens, Minnie A. Stevens, Maurice E. Stowell.

*Fall.* Evie A. Stevens, Minnie A. Stevens, Fred H. Flint, Maurice E. Stowell.

*Winter.* Abbie J. Burns.

## No. 3.

*Spring.* Ella C. Darrah, Mertie M. Darrah, Sadie M. Darrah, Bertha B. Dunton, Arthur Darrah, Eva Rundlett, Harvey Dunton.

*Fall.* Ella C. Darrah, Sadie M. Darrah, Bertha Dunton, Bessie Minot, Mabel Gooch, Alice Gooch, Eva Rundlett, Frank J. Darrah.

*Winter.* Ella C. Darrah, Sadie M. Darrah, Eva G. Rundlett, Arthur Darrah, Harvey Dunton

## No. 4.

*Spring:* Amy R. French, Frank P. French.

*Fall.* Amy R. French.

*Winter.* Amy R. French, Nellie A. Philbrick.

## No. 5.

*Spring.* Dannie E. Huskie, Jerry Murphy, Mamie Murphy, Lottie Huskie.

*Fall.* Jerry Murphy, Mamie Murphy, Flora Heselton.

*Winter.* Dannie Murphy, Willie Murphy.

## No. 6.

*Spring.* Charles O. Bursiel, Olive A. Bursiel.

## No. 7.

*Spring.* E. Josie Peabody, Napoleon Fosher, Hertie Signor.

*Fall.* E. Josie Peabody, Hertie Signor, Bernice Signor.

*Winter.* E. Josie Peabody, Sadie J. Welch, George W. Swallow.

## No. 8.

*Winter.* Winnifred J. French, Allen F. King, Perley W. Gage.

## No. 9.

*Spring.* Nellie T. Shepard, Grace A. Ward, Fred E. Jenness.

*Fall.* Horace W. Conner, Alvin J. Hanson, Freddie A. Hanson, Fred E. Jenness.

*Winter.* Arthur W. Gault, Horace W. Conner, Harold Gault.

## No. 10.

*Spring.* Lewis E. Hodgman, Arthur N. Hodgman, Waldo M. Hodgman, Sarah A. Hodgman.

*Fall.* Arthur N. Hodgman, Lewis E. Hodgman, Waldo M. Hodgman, Harry W. Peaslee.

*Winter.* Sarah A. Hodgman, Lizzie Schwartz, Lewis E. Hodgman, Arthur N. Hodgman, Waldo M. Hodgman, Harry W. Peaslee.

# REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BEDFORD,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1893.

## TEACHERS' SALARIES, SPRING TERM.

Paid—

Annabel Emerson, No. 1, school, 11 weeks			\$93 50
Georgia F. Way,	2,	10	65 00
Mary A. Walker,	3,	10	65 00
Hattiebell Smith,	4,	10	65 00
Mersilvia A. Jenness	5,	10	60 00
Susie .C Fogg,	6,	10	60 00
Elva A. Lobdell,	7,	10	65 00
Alice M. Leadbetter,	7,	10	65 00
Bertha E. Parkhurst,	9,	10	65 00
Dora D. Holbrook,	10,	10	60 00
			<hr/> \$663 50

## FALL TERM.

PAID—

Annabel Emerson, No. 1, school, 11 weeks			\$93 50
Georgia F. Way,	2,	10	65 00
Mary A. Walker,	3,	10	65 00
Dora D. Holbrook,	4,	10	60 00
Mersilvia A. Jenness,	5,	10	60 00
Susie E. Fogg,	6,	10	60 00
Susie A. Cate,	7,	10	60 50
Charlotte B. Fox,	8,	10	60 50
Bertha Parkhurst,	9,	10	60 50
Isabel Wingate,	10,	10	60 50
			<hr/> \$663 50

## WINTER TERM.

## PAID—

Annabel Emerson, No. 1, school, 11 weeks	\$93	50
Georgia A. Way, 2, 10	65	00
Mary A. Walker, 3, 10	65	00
Dora D. Holbrook, 4, 10	60	00
Mersilvia A. Jenness, 5, 10	60	00
Mabel A. Morse, 6, 10	65	00
Susie A. Cate, 7, 10	65	00
Wallace H. Tarbell, 8, 10	65	00
Bertha E. Parkhurst, 9, 10	65	00
Alice G. White, 10, 10	65	00

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 \$668 50

## FUEL.

Paid for fuel, No. 1.. .. .	\$11	50
2 .....	10	88
3 .....	9	63
4 .....	14	62
5 .....	8	75
6 .....	7	12
7 .....	8	88
8 .....	11	75
9 .....	14	27
10 .....	7	50

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 \$104 90

## MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid for building fires .....	\$21	00
cleaning school rooms .....	20	85
expense of Maurice Stowell at No. 2 .....	37	50
expense of George F. Day at No. 2 .....	37	50
expense of Elmer Lovejoy at No. 9 .....	11	25
postage and stationery .....	2	31
dipper and pails .....	1	03
one order book .....	1	25
repairs and fence at No. 1 .....	10	95

repairs at No. 4 .....	21	17
repairs and glass at No. 7 .....	2	53
curtains and repairs on stove at No. 6.....	2	00
glass and setting at Nos. 4, 8 and 9 .....	1	70
W. McDole, carrying trunks .....		50
painting blind at No. 1 .....		30
chair at No. 8 .....		75
legal advice .....	1	00
		<hr/> \$173 59

## SUMMARY.

Whole amount paid teachers .....	\$1995	50
for fuel.....	104	90
miscellaneous .....	173	59
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Whole amount expended. ....	\$2273	99
In treasurer's hand.....		46 11
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		\$2320 10

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By received of town treasurer whole amount .....	\$2219	01
Received from school board of An- herst for tuition .....	15	00
Amount remaining from 1891 .....	86	09
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		\$2320 10

## REPAIR FUND,

Paid for repairs .....	\$52	80
Paid T. J. Wiggin, agent .....	52	80

## TEXT BOOKS AND OTHER SUPPLIES.

Paid Readers .....	\$ 9	97
Histories ..	5	00
physical geography .....	7	68
bookkeeping books .....	7	82
grammars .....	7	59
copy books .....	23	34
spellers .....		81

express on books .....	1	20
inks .....	4	40
crayons .....	2	58
slate pencils.....		75
lead pencils.....	3	30
pens.....	2	70
erasers.....		48
dictionary.....	1	35
blanks.....		49;

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\$79 46

Whole amount expended ..... 79 46

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By received town order ..... 79 46

WILLIAM F. CONNER,  
*Treasurer.*

We have examined the accounts of the school board and find them correct.

JAMES C. GILMAN,  
FREEMAN R. FRENCH,  
*Auditors.*

## STATISTICAL TABLE.

No. of divisions.	Terms.	Teachers.	Wages per month.	Length of term in weeks.		Whole number of different ones for the year.	Average daily attendance.	Per cent of daily attendance.	Reading and spelling.	Penmanship.	Arithmetic.	Geography.	Grammar.	History.	Physiology.	Book-keeping.	Algebra.	Composition.	Drawing.	Vocal music.	Physical geography.
				Whole No. of scholars.	Whole No. of scholars.																
1	Spring	Annabel Emerson	\$ 34	11	25	20	95	23	25	25	25	21	16	8	25	2		8	18	25	
	Fall	Annabel Emerson	34	11	28	22	84	61	28	28	28	19	19	10	28	3		19	19	28	
	Winter	Annabel Emerson	34	11	25	31	21	91	30	25	25	25	18	8	25	3	4	18	18	25	
2	Spring	Georgia F. Way	26	10	20	14	73	60	20	14	14	8	7	6				11		17	
	Fall	Georgia F. Way	25	10	21	17	89	46	21	15	15	8	8	7				13		21	
	Winter	Georgia F. Way	26	10	18	23	14	82	35	18	16	13	5	9	6			9		18	
3	Spring	Mary A. Walker	26	10	15	14	92	86	15	15	12	12	5	4	3			12			
	Fall	Mary A. Walker	26	10	18	16	94	11	18	18	12	12	4	4	1			16			
	Winter	Mary A. Walker	26	10	15	19	12	85	71	15	15	13	9	4	3	1	1	4	15		1
4	Spring	Hattiebel S. Smith	26	10																	
	Fall	Dora D. Holbrook	24	10	11	9	97	93	11	7	8	7	4	1				7	8	6	
	Winter	Dora D. Holbrook	24	10	12	16	10	82	40	11	9	8	4	1				7	9	6	
	Spring	Mersilvia A. Jenness	24	10	7	7	94	33	7	7	5	5	2					2	7	7	
5	Fall	Mersilvia A. Jenness	24	10	9	8	97	85	9	9	6	6	3	1				6	9	9	
	Winter	Mersilvia A. Jenness	24	10	9	10	9	98	33	9	9	7	7	4				7	9	9	
6	Spring	Susie C. Fogg	24	10	19	16	94	11	19	19	19	18	8	9				10		19	
	Fall	Susie C. Fogg	24	10	15	12	85	71	15	15	15	13	6	4				8		15	
	Winter	Mabel A. Morse	29	10	13	19	8	72	72	13	13	13	6	4							
7	Spring	Elva A. Lobdell	26	10	20	17	94	22	20	25	20	11	7	1	5		1	7			
	Fall	Susie A. Cate	26	10	20	16	88	38	20	19	11	10	7		5	1		9			
	Winter	Susie A. Cate	26	10	17	23	15	93	75	17	16	11	10	7		5	1	9			
8	Spring	Alice M. Leadbetter	26	10	13	10	90	00													
	Fall	Charlotte B. Fox	26	10	11	7	87														
	Winter	Wallace H. Tarbell	26	10	16	19	13	87	7	16	16	15	10	4	2	3	1	10			2
9	Spring	Bertha E. Parkhurst	26	10	17	14	93	33	17	15	15	15	15				1	15	15	17	
	Fall	Bertha E. Parkhurst	26	10	16	14	93	33	16	15	14	14	14			3		1	14	16	
	Winter	Bertha E. Parkhurst	26	10	15	17	13	92	85	15	15	15	11	14			3	2	14	15	3
10	Spring	Dora D. Holbrook	24	10	16	12	92	31	14	10	10	9	5	1			1	10		5	
	Fall	Isabel C. Wingate	26	10	15	11	93	33	15	15	9	9	4	4				4		12	
	Winter	Alice G. White	26	10	10	18	9	90	00	10	7	7	4	4							





## PUBLIC LIBRARY.

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At the town meeting held March 12, 1892, the town accepted the provision of Public Statutes of New Hampshire, 1892, Chap. 8, Sections 21-26; and elected as trustees for one year, A. D. Smith, John A. Riddle and George M. Davis.

The trustees at once set to work, and circulated a paper among the subscribers of the old library to give their interest in the old library to the town. Nearly all readily gave their share to assist the new enterprise. Many volumes of the old library are missing, and the trustees hope that any having such books, will return them to the librarian.

In August Rev. Mr. Smith removed from town and thereby our board was weakened. In the latter part of December, '92, the new books arrived, 105 volumes. The work of preparing them for distribution was done by some of the ladies.

The library was first opened to the public Feb. 16, '93, Mr. Jasper P. George acting as librarian. We hope that the people of the town will avail themselves of the opportunity of taking books, and that the library "will not die an early death," for want of patronage.

Our thanks are due to those who kindly assisted us in arranging and getting the books in readiness for distribution.

Respectfully,

GEO. M. DAVIS.

Following will be found a catalogue of the books :

TITLE.	AUTHOR.
1. Little Folks in Feather and Fur,	Olive Thorne Miller
2. The Popular Natural History,	J G. Wood
3. Up and Down the Brooks,	Mary E. Bamford
4. Bird Ways,	Olive Thorne Miller
5. Abraham Lincoln,	W. O. Stoddard
6. Famous American Statesmen,	Sarah K. Bolton
7. Famous American Authors,	" "
8. Famous English Statesmen,	" "
9. Girls who Became Famous	" "
10. Poor Boys who Became Famous,	" "
11. Miles Standish,	John S. C. Abbott
12. Christopher Columbus,	" "

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|---|-----------------------|
| 13. Daniel Webster,                         | Henry Cabot Lodge     |
| 14. Samuel Adams,                           | James K. Hosmer       |
| 15. Autobiography,                          | Benjamin Franklin     |
| 16. Washington and His Country,             | Irving and Fiske      |
| 17. Poems,                                  | J. G. Whittier        |
| 18. Poems,                                  | H. W. Longfellow      |
| 19. Farm Ballads                            | Will Carleton         |
| 20. The Prairie,                            | J. Fenimore Cooper    |
| 21. The Deerslayer,                         | " "                   |
| 22. The Pioneers,                           | " "                   |
| 23. Last of the Mohicans,                   | " "                   |
| 24. The Pathfinder,                         | " "                   |
| 25. The Scarlet Letter,                     | Nathaniel Hawthorne   |
| 26. Driven Back to Eden,                    | E. P. Roe             |
| 27. Opening a Chestnut Burr,                | " "                   |
| 28. Their Wedding Journey,                  | W. D. Howells         |
| 29. Uncle Tom's Cabin,                      | Harriet Beecher Stowe |
| 30. The Minister's Wooing,                  | " "                   |
| 31. Standish of Standish,                   | Jane G. Austin        |
| 32. Two Years Before the Mast,              | R. H. Dana, Jr        |
| 33. The Hoosier Schoolmaster,               | Edward Eggleston      |
| 34. Black Beauty,                           | Anna Sewell           |
| 35. The Three Scouts,                       | J. T. Trowbridge      |
| 36. Ramona,                                 | Helen Jackson         |
| 37. Samantha at the Centennial.             | Marietta Holley       |
| 38. The Gayworthys,                         | Mrs. A. D. T. Whitney |
| 39. The Sketch Book,                        | Washington Irving     |
| 40. A Humble Romance,                       | Mary E. Wilkins       |
| 41. The Colonel's Daughter,                 | Capt. Chas. King      |
| 42. But Yet a Women,                        | A. S. Hardy           |
| 43. The Rise of Silas Lapham,               | W. D. Howells         |
| 44. John Halifax, Gentleman,                | Miss Mulock           |
| 45. Deephaven,                              | Sarah Orne Jewett     |
| 46. Neighbor Jockwood,                      | J. T. Trowbridge      |
| 47. Sevenoaks,                              | J. G. Holland         |
| 48. Ancient America,                        | J. D. Baldwin         |
| 49. Blue Jackets of 1812,                   | Willis J. Abbott      |
| 50. Young Folks History of Germany,         | Charlotte M. Yonge    |
| 51. " " " France,                           | " "                   |
| 52. " " " Rome,                             | " "                   |
| 53. " " " Greece,                           | " "                   |
| 54. Fifteen Decisive Battles of the World,  | E. S. Creasy          |
| 55. Drumbeat of the Nation,                 | C. C. Coffin          |
| 56. Old Times in the Colonies,              | " "                   |
| 57. Recollections of a Private,             | Warren Lee Goss       |
| 58. The Boys of '76,                        | C. C. Coffin          |
| 59. Short History of English People,        | J. R. Green           |
| 60. Boy Life in the U. S. Navy,             | H. H. Clark           |
| 61. Royal Lowrie,                           | Magnus Merriweather   |
| 62. Royal Lowrie's Last Year at St. Olavis, | " "                   |
| 63. Little Women,                           | Louisa M. Alcott      |
| 64. Little Men,                             | " "                   |
| 65. Jo's Boys,                              | " "                   |
| 66. Phil and His Friends,                   | J. T. Trowbridge      |

67. The Mills of Tuxbury,  
 68. Jed,  
 69. Six in All.  
 70. The Boy Travelers,  
 71. A New England Girlhood,  
 72. Joe Bently,  
 73. Winning His Way,  
 74. The Story of Honor Bright,  
 75. Tom Clifton,  
 76. Gardening for Profit,  
 77. Training the Trotting Horse,  
 78. Success with Small Fruits,  
 79. Poultry Culture,  
 80. Emerson's Essays,  
 81. How the Farm Pays,  
 82. Catalogue Dover Library,  
 83. Catalogue of Library Bureau  
 84. Modern Seven Wonders of the World,  
 85. Electricity in Daily Life,  
 86. Over the Ocean,  
 87. Among the Isles of Shoals,  
 88. The New Eldorado,  
 89. Zig Zag Journeys in Classic Lands,  
 90. In Scripture Lands,  
 91. The Great Cities of the Modern World,  
 92. American Explorations in Ice Zones,  
 93. Great Cities of Ancient World,  
 94. A Thousand Miles Up the Nile,  
 95. Boots and Saddles,  
 96. Round the Globe,  
 97. Autocrat of Breakfast Table,  
 98. The Dairyman's Manual,  
 99. Practical Floriculture,  
 100. Getting On in the World,  
 101. Elsie Venner,  
 102. Perley's Reminiscences, Vol. 1,  
 103. " " " 2,  
 104. Homes Without Hands,  
 105. Count Robert of Paris,  
 106. The Newcomes,  
 107. Around a Spring,  
 108. Aylpyns of Tagaste,  
 109. Quentin Durward,  
 110. Twelve Miles from a Lemon,  
 111. Beaten Paths,  
 112. Scrope,  
 113. Romame Beauscincourt,  
 114. Spring Floods,  
 115. Little Dorrit,  
 116. Shiftless Folks,  
 117. Little by Little,  
 118. Moses Evans,  
 119. From the Clouds,  
 120. The Fast Life,
- Virginia F. Townsend  
 Warren Lee Goss  
 Virginia F. Townsend  
 Thos. W. Knox  
 Lucy Larcom  
 H. H. Clark  
 C. C. Coffin  
 Magnus Merriweather  
 Warren Lee Goss  
 Peter Henderson  
 Charles Marvin  
 E. P. Roe  
 J. K. Felch  
 Ralph Waldo Emerson  
 Peter Henderson  
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 Charles Kent  
 Bracket and Others  
 Curtis Guild  
 Celia Thaxter  
 Ballou  
 Hezekiah Butterworth  
 E. L. Wilson  
 Helen A. Smith  
 J. E. Nomse  
 Hazel Shepard  
 Amelia B. Edwards  
 Elizabeth Custer  
 S. H. McCollester  
 O. W. Holmes  
 Henry Stewart  
 Peter Henderson  
 Wm. Matthews  
 O. W. Holmes  
 Ben Perley Poore  
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 J. G. Wood  
 Walter Scott  
 Wm. M. Thackery  
 G. Droz  
 Walter Scott  
 Gail Hamilton  
 E. W. Thompson  
 F. B. Perkins  
 Turgenieff  
 Charles Dickens  
 C. Goldsmith  
 Oliver Optic  
 N. M. Baker  
 Jules Verne  
 Joseph Taylor

121.	How Majory Helped,	M. Carrol
122.	Redgauntlet,	Walter Scott
123.	Don Quixote,	De La Mancha
124.	Decline and Fall of Roman Empire, Vol. 2,	Edward Gibbon
125.	" 3,	" "
126.	" 4,	" "
127.	" 5,	" "
128.	" 6,	" "
129.	History of United States, Vol. 2,	Bancroft
130.	" 3,	"
131.	" 4,	"
132.	" 5,	"
133.	" 6,	"
134.	" 7,	"
135.	" 8,	"
136.	" 9,	"
137.	History of England, Vol. 2,	Macauley
138.	" 4,	"
139.	" 5,	"
140.	Aurora Leigh.	Mrs. Browning
141.	Poetical Works, Vol. 1,	Samuel Butler
142.	" 2,	" "
143.	Complete Works,	Lord Byron
144.	Works of	Oliver Goldsmith
145.	Rameses the Great,	De Lanoye
146.	Wonders of Italian Art,	Viardot
147.	Wonders of the Heavens,	Flammasion
148.	Wonders of Human Body,	Le Pilene
149.	Sublime in Nature,	De Lanoye
150.	Wonderful Balloon Ascents,	F. Marian
151.	Wonders of Optics,	"
152.	Wonders of Glassmaking,	Sanzay
153.	Wonders of European Art,	Viardot
154.	Thunder and Lighting,	De Fonville
155.	Wonders of Aoustics,	Robert Ball
156.	The Sun,	Guillomen
158.	Wonders of Architecture,	R. Donato
159.	Wonders of Pompeii,	Monnice
160.	The Bottom of the Sea,	Somel
161.	Prophetic Voices,	Chas. Sumner
162.	Triumphs of Enterprise,	James Parton
163.	Sights and Insights,	H. W. Winon
164.	Origin of Species,	Darwin
165.	Bench and Bar,	Bigelow
166.	Sex in Education.	Clark
167.	Fragments of Science,	Tyndall
168.	Works of	Josephus
169.	The Antiquary and Others,	Walter Scott
170.	The Fair Mair of Perth and others,	" "
171.	The Monastery and others.	" "
172.	Guy Mannering,	" "
173.	The Bride of Lammermoor,	" "
174.	The Living Link,	James DeMille
175.	Waldfrier,	Auerbach

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| 176. | Gerda,                               | Marie Schwartz    |
| 177. | Don't Say So,                        |                   |
| 178. | Valentine, the Countess,             | Carl Detlef       |
| 179. | A Mad Marriage,                      | May Agnes Fleming |
| 180. | In the Days of My Youth,             | Amelia Edwards    |
| 181. | Pickwick Papers,                     | Charles Dickens   |
| 182. | Barnaby Rudge,                       | "                 |
| 183. | Bleak House,                         | "                 |
| 184. | Martin Chuzzlewit,                   | "                 |
| 185. | Sketches by Boz,                     | "                 |
| 186. | History of Semi Service,             | Gen. L. C. Baker  |
| 187. | Kit Carson,                          | John S. C. Abbott |
| 188. | Autobiography of                     | John B. Gough     |
| 189. | Beyond the Mississippi,              | Colfax            |
| 190. | Soldier's Story,                     | Warren Lee Goss   |
| 191. | Arabian Nights.                      |                   |
| 192. | Now or Never.                        | Oliver Optic      |
| 193. | John Chinaman,                       | W. Dalton         |
| 194. | My Comrades,                         | H. H.             |
| 195. | Modern Persecution, No. 1            | Mrs. Packard      |
| 196. | No. 2                                | "                 |
| 197. | Wonderful Escapes,                   | Rich Whiting      |
| 198. | Strength and Skill,                  | Charles Russell   |
| 199. | Intelligence of Animals,             | Ernest Wenant     |
| 200. | Wonders of Heat,                     | Achille Cajain    |
| 201. | Griffith, Gaint or Jealousy,         | Charles Reade     |
| 202. | Life of Washington, Vol. 1.          | Washington Irving |
| 203. | Vol. 2,                              | "                 |
| 204. | Vol. 3,                              | "                 |
| 205. | Vol. 4,                              | "                 |
| 206. | Vol. 5,                              | "                 |
| 207. | Life and Letters of Irving, Vol. 1,  | Pierre M. Irving  |
| 208. | Vol. 2,                              | "                 |
| 209. | Vol. 3,                              | "                 |
| 210. | Peter the Great,                     | Jacob Abbott      |
| 211. | Famous Americans of Recent Times,    | James Parton      |
| 212. | Life of Aaron Burr, Vol. 1,          | "                 |
| 213. | Vol. 2,                              | "                 |
| 214. | Life of Andrew Jackson, Vol. 1,      | "                 |
| 215. | Vol. 2,                              | "                 |
| 216. | Vol. 3,                              | "                 |
| 217. | Life of Paul Jones, Vol. 1,          | Alex MacKenzie    |
| 218. | Vol. 2,                              | "                 |
| 219. | Life of Cromwell, Vol. 1,            | M. Russell        |
| 220. | Vol. 2,                              | "                 |
| 221. | Lives of Balboa, Cortez and Pizarro, |                   |
| 222. | Life of Mohammed,                    | George Bush       |
| 223. | Life of Dr. Johnson,                 | James Boswell     |
| 224. | Knots Untied,                        |                   |
| 225. | Manuel of Mythology.                 | Alex Murray       |
| 226. | Astronomy and Geology combined.      | Ormathwaite       |
| 227. | Pitcairn Island,                     |                   |
| 228. | Rocky Mountains, Vol. 1,             | Lewis and Clark   |
| 229. | Vol. 2,                              | "                 |

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| 230. | David Crockett,                      | John S. C. Abbott     |
| 231. | Eight Years Wanderings,              | Samuel W. Baker       |
| 232. | Travel, Explorations and Adventures, | Bayard Taylor         |
| 233. | Sights and Sensations in Europe,     | J. H. Brown           |
| 234. | Across America,                      | James Bushing         |
| 235. | Adventures,                          | Jules Verne           |
| 236. | New America.                         | W. H. Dixon           |
| 237. | Syrian Home Life,                    | H. H. Jessup          |
| 238. | Heart of Africa. Vol. 1,             | Schweinfurth          |
| 239. | Vol. 2,                              | "                     |
| 240. | Bedford Messenger,                   | Charles Dudley Warner |
| 241. | Baddeck and that Sort of Thing,      | George Kennan         |
| 242. | Tent Life in Siberia,                |                       |

# TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

## VITAL STATISTICS

*Births Registered in the Town of Bedford, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1892.*

Date.	Name of Child (if any.)	Sex. Condition.			Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color of Parents.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.
		Male.	Female.	Living or Stillborn.								
1892.												
Jan. 6	Merton L. Campbell	M.		L. 5th	S. C. Campbell	Mary E. Campbell	W.	Bedford	Laborer	Bedford	Bedford	33 29
Mar. 8	Bernice Gooch	F.		L. 4th	Geo. H. Gooch	Nellie A. Hastings	"	"	Farmer	Bedford	New London	35 30
Apr. 8	"	M.		L. 4th	Alva R. Mack	Ella F. Procter	"	"	Operative	Bedford Me.	Meredith	36 31
" 29	Clovina Richards	F.		L. 2d	Paul Richards	Amelia Foster	"	"	Laborer	Lowell, Mass.	Coopersville, N. Y.	25 18
May 12	Mary Ellen Gray	F.		L. 3d	Frank A. Gray	Johannah Moore	"	"	Paper-hanger	Canada	"	23 27
" 29	"	F.		L. 1st	Perham Parker	Annie Hamilton	"	"	Butcher	Maine	P. E. I.	23 27
June 4	"	F.		L. 7th	Fred Foster	Sarah Lamonde	"	"	Laborer	Bedford	Manchester	29 26
" 10	Hilda Lena Davis	F.		L. 1st	George M. Davis	Mable L. Davis	"	"	Physician	N. Y. State	N. Y. State	38 34
July 1	Henry Guimond	M.		L. 6th	Zoe Guimond	Lenora Page	"	"	Sectionman	Norwich, Vt.	Norwich, Vt.	28 28
Aug. 6	"	F.		L. 1st	George Taylor	Emmie Nichols	"	"	Laborer	Canada, P. Q.	Canada, P. Q.	35 30
" 12	Deana A. Taylor	F.		L. 1st	Denis Monahan	Nellie A. Cooper	"	"	Engraver	P. E. Island	Bedford	27 21
" 22	Martha Jane French	M.		L. 4th	Frank H. Taylor	Eliza	"	"	Operative	Manchester	Palmer, Mass.	42 32
Sept. 13	"	M.		L. 1st	Martin Campbell	S. E. McAlister	"	"	Farmer	Ireland	Canada	30 30
Oct. 16	Harry Wiggin	M.		L. 2d	Charles H. Wiggin	Annie M. Farley	"	"	Farmer	Bedford	Bedford	31 31
Nov. 29	"	M.		L. 3d	Natt. J. Ryder	Jennie F. Bailey	"	"	Farmer	Bedford	Bedford	32 21
Dec. 1	"	F.		L. 4th	George H. Wiggin	Mary F. Minot	"	"	Com. Traveller	Danboston N. H.	Manchester	35 36
					Homer Pepin	Julia A. Sharrow	"	"	Milkman	E. Boston Mass.	Manchester	34 25
							"	"	Teamster	Canada	Chateaugay	33 34



*Marriages Registered in the Town of Bedford, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1892.*

Date	Place of Marriage.	Name and surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in Years.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation.	Condition.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married
1892.												
April 7	Merrimack	Charles H. Wiggin	Bedford	31	W	Farmer.	Boston, Mass.	George H. Wiggin. Mary A. Taylor Wiggin.	Chelsea, Mass.	.....	1st	Rev. Elisia A. Keep, Merrimack
		Annie M. Farley	"	20	"	"	Bedford	Charles P. Farley. Elizabeth Shepard Farley	Bedford.	..... Wheelwright	1st	"
July 14	Chester	Charles E. Bursiel	"	48	"	Farmer.	Bedford	Thomas Bursiel. Olive Atwood Bursiel.	"	.....	2d	Rev Jas. G. Robertson Chester
		Susie E. Hazelton	Chester	26	"	Teacher	Chester.	Edwin Hazelton. Susan Elkins Hazelton.	Chester, N H.	.....	1st	"
Aug. 24	Manchester	Charles E. Foster	Bedford	32	"	Farmer.	North Weare	George Foster. Salome F. Little Foster	Kingston	.....	1st	Rev. N.L. Colby, Manchester
		Bertha J. Cheney	Manchester.	25	"	Coat Maker.	Newton, Mass.	Royal Cheney. Electa Gardner Cheney	Hudson.	.....	1st	"
Aug. 31	Damariscotta, Maine	Charles P. Farley	Bedford	47	"	Carriage maker	Bedford	Senior Farley. Olive Flint Farley.	Bedford.	..... Car'gemaker	2d	Rev. E.C. Whittemore Damariscotta, Me.
		Elizabeth L. Clapp	Damariscotta, Me	37	"	Teacher	Damariscotta, Me	Charles S. Clapp Mary E. W. Clapp	New Boston.	.....	1st	"
Oct. 11	Nashua	William F. Nay	Bedford	28	"	Farmer.	Peterborough	William H. Nay. Imogene Mark.	New Castle Me.	.....	1st	Rev. O. J. White Nashua
		Adeline I. Sheld.	Nashua	22	"	House work.	Merrimack.	Joseph Sheld. Adeline S. Kendal Shedd	Peterborough	.....	1st	"
									Merrimack	.....		"



*Deaths Registered in the Town of Bedford, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1892.*

Date.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.			Sex and Condi- tion.			Occupa- tion.		Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden name of Mother.	Disease, or Cause of Death.
		Years.	Months.	Days.	Place of Birth.	Male.	Female.	Color.	Single, mar- ried or wid.	Occupa- tion.	Father.	Mother.					
Jan. 29	William M. Rogers	78	5		Bath	M.		W.	M.	Farmer.	Coopersville N.Y.	Champlain, N.Y.	William Rogers.	Sally Wells.		Senile gangrene	
Feb. 16	George Fosher	12	10	14	Champlain N.Y.	M.		W.	S.	Scholar.	Merrimack	Merrimack	Frederick Fosher.	Sarah Larmonde.		Pneumonia.	
"	Lovisia M. Gage.	71	6	18	Merrimack Me.		F.	W.	W.	Matron.	Goffstown.	Goffstown.	John Roby	Pattis Woods		Cancer	
"	Ellen E. White	54			Newport		F.	W.	M.	House-wife	Mass.	N.H.	Page Richardson.	Betsy Eaton.		Heart disease.	
Mar. 17	Eliza Ferson	74	6	9	Bedford	M.		W.	S.	Student	Bedford.	Bedford.	George F. Barnes	Sarah A. Page.		Duodenitis.	
"	Ezra Carruth Barnes	69	9	13	"	M.		W.	S.	Farmer.	Scotland	Scotland	John Huskie	Sarah L. Moore.		Measles, bronchitis	
Apr. 5	John Huskie	69	9	13	Scotland	M.		W.	M.	Farmer.	Easton, Conn.	Easton, Conn.	James Turney	Elizabeth Gilson.		Pulm'nary Oedema	
"	Martha Burr Turney	7	3	6	Easton, Conn.		F.	W.	S.	Scholar.	Easton, Conn.	Easton, Conn.	Silas Hall	Hattie Sherwood.		Werthof's disease.	
May 8	Emmi J. Dodge	38	1	13	Lowell, Mass.		F.	W.	M.	Dress-maker.	Canada, P.Q.	Canada, P.Q.	Billy R. Gage.	Mary D ew.		Heart disease.	
June 1	Charles Gage	77	3	15	Londonderry.	M.		W.	W.	Carpenter	Canada, P.Q.	Canada, P.Q.	Zoell Guimond	Lenora Page.		Bronchitis, cystitis	
July 6	Henry Guimond	23	2	10	Bedford	M.		W.	M.	Matron	Germany.	Germany.	Conrad Welshaupt	Barbara.		Still-born.	
Aug. 3	Frances B. Marchant	87	1	25	Bedford		F.	W.	W.	Farmer.	Canada	N.Y. State.	Paul Richards.	Amelia Fosher		Pulmonary Cons'p	
"	Joseph H. Tinker.	3			Bedford		F.	W.	S.	Farmer.	Canada	N.Y. State.	Dennis Wonthan.	Barbara.		Heart-failure.	
"	Clorina Richards.	3			Bedford		F.	W.	S.	Farmer.	Canada	N.Y. State.	Dennis Wonthan.	Amelia Fosher		Heart-failure.	
"	David P. Campbell.	55			Bedford	M.		W.	M.	Laborer.	Bedford.	Bedford.	Seth P. Campbell.	Eliza		Still-born.	
Sept. 16	Harry Wiggin				Bedford	M.		W.	M.	Laborer.	Bedford.	Bedford.	Seth P. Campbell.	Eliza		Still-born.	
Oct. 6	Wallace M. Campbell				Bedford	M.		W.	S.	Laborer.	Boston, Mass.	Bedford.	Charles H. Wiggin	Naoma Campbell.		Suicide.	
"	David Campbell				Bedford	M.		W.	S.	Laborer.	Bedford.	Bedford.	Martin Campbell.	Annie M. Farley.		Stomatitis.	
Nov. 26	David Campbell	79	4	10	Bedford	M.		W.	M.	Laborer.	Bedford.	Bedford.	Martin Campbell.	Annie M. Farley.		Stomatitis.	
"	Orra Smith	45	8	22	Windsor.	M.		W.	M.	Laborer.	Windsor.	Hudson.	Robert Campbell.	Leona Campbell.		Paralysis.	
Dec. 4	John P. Young Jr.	50	5	2	Manchester, Eng.	M.		W.	M.	Basket Maker	Hudson	Hudson, N.H.	Joseph B. Smith.	Martha Smith.		Pulmonary Cons'n	
"	Alman Ceror	99	3	1	Canada.	M.		W.	W.	Laborer.	Hudson	Hudson, N.H.	John R. Young	Sarah Seger.		Cancer.	
"	Alman Ceror	99	3	1	Canada.	M.		W.	W.	Laborer.	Hudson	Hudson, N.H.	John R. Young	Sarah Seger.		Cancer.	
"	Elvira Walker.	83	10	6	Bedford		F.	W.	S.	Laborer.	Hudson	Hudson, N.H.	Robert Walker.	Mary Wallace.		Old age.	
"	Elvira Walker.	83	10	6	Bedford		F.	W.	S.	Laborer.	Hudson	Hudson, N.H.	Robert Walker.	Mary Wallace.		General debility	

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SILAS A. RIDDLE, Town Clerk.

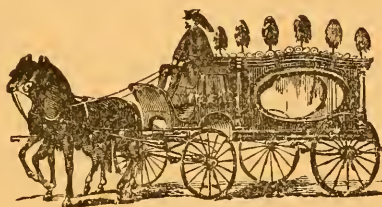


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